

# Implementing the Open Water Information Architecture (OWIA)

## Theme I: Bridging-The-Gap Between Research and Operations

### *Topic A: Water Balance Automation*

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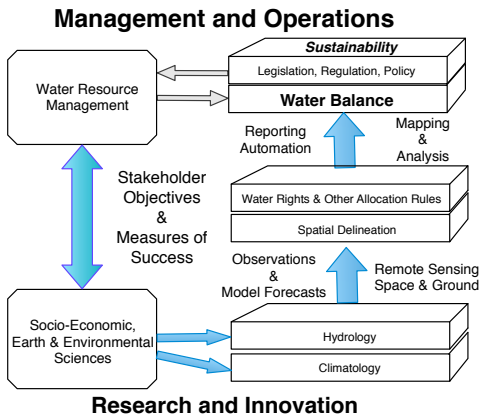
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# What Are We Doing?

Building a decision-support system to improve water resource management and advance hydrologic research



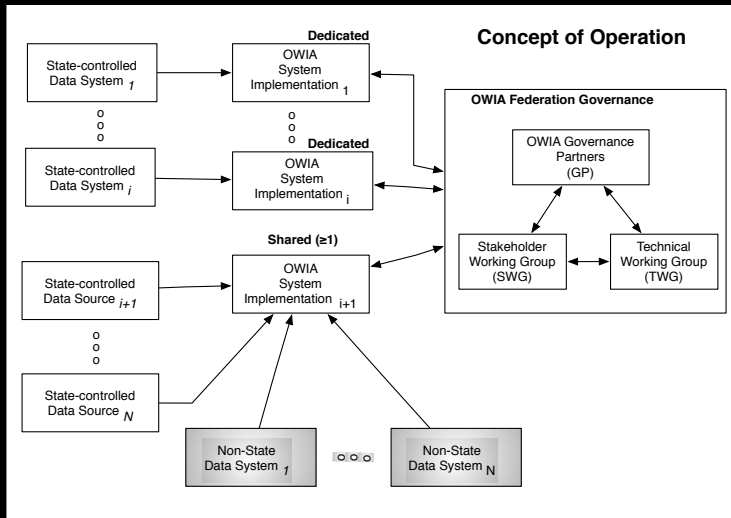
- Mobilizing the best data in an on-going way
- Ensuring that it is open and sustainable
- Providing for technology transfer from research to operations
- Controlling development and operational risk (cost, schedule, technical)



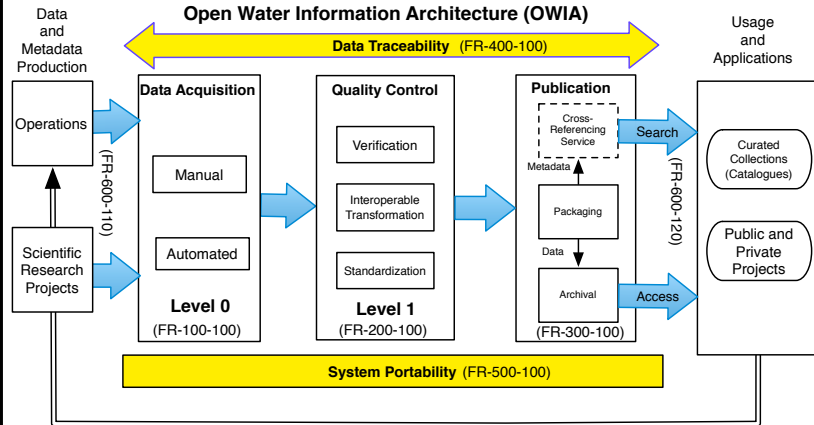
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# OWIA Concept of Operations

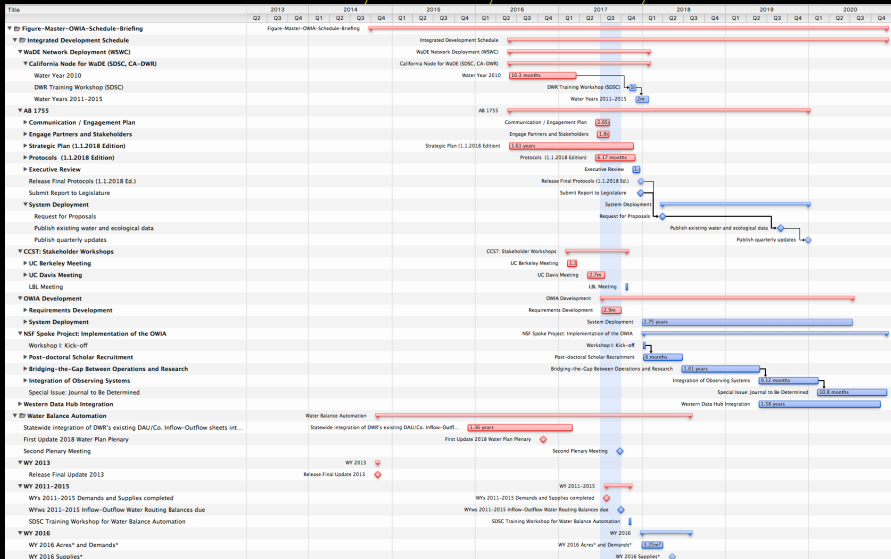


# OWIA-Node Functional Components



# OWIA Integrated Schedule

## WaDE, CCST, AB1755, OWIA



# Implementing the OWIA

## Implementing the Open Water Information Architecture Proposal to NSF

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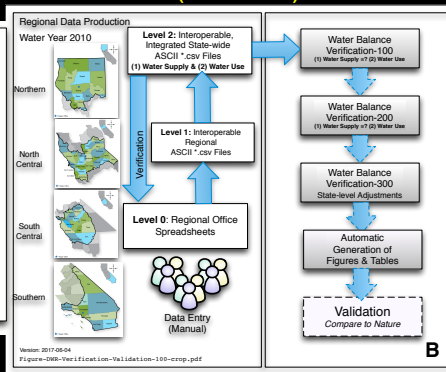
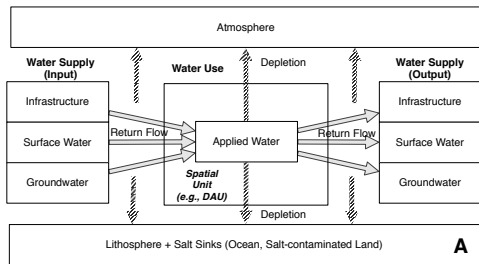
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# Water Balance Automation Methodology

## Quality Control Procedure (Protocol)

### Conceptual Model



# Water Balance Automation Quality Control (Version 1.0)

- **Transformation:** From spreadsheets to interoperable (\*.csv) form (Level 0 to Level 1), separate Use and Supply, apply verification (Verification-000?)
- **Standardization:** applying controlled vocabulary to assure proper aggregation and tabulation; add georeferencing
- **Verification Procedure (or Protocol):**
  1. **Verify Level 1 to Level 0:** Checking for completeness, consistency, traceability within hydrologic region, separating Use and Supply and assigning positive values to Supply and negative values to Use.
  2. **Verify Level 2 Integration:** Concatenate Level 1 files across hydrologic regions
  3. **Verification-100:** Checking for completeness, consistency, traceability within hydrologic regions
  4. **Verification-200:** Checking for completeness, consistency, traceability across hydrologic regions with tabulation at different spatial scales (i.e., DAU, Planning Area, Hydrologic Region, State)
  5. **Verification-300:** Re-factoring to Category B values (Environmental, Supply, Use) and verify State totals
- **Validation:** *under development*

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# WY2010 Water Use State-level Summary

CategoryA	CategoryB		
	Environmental KAcreFt sum	Supply KAcreFt sum	Use KAcreFt sum
Agriculture	0	32268	-32448
InstreamFlowRequirements	6755	0	0
ManagedWetlands	0	1465	- 1473
RequiredDeltaOutflow	5323	0	0
Urban	0	8643	- 8413
WildScenicRiver	25061	0	0
All	37140	42376	-42335

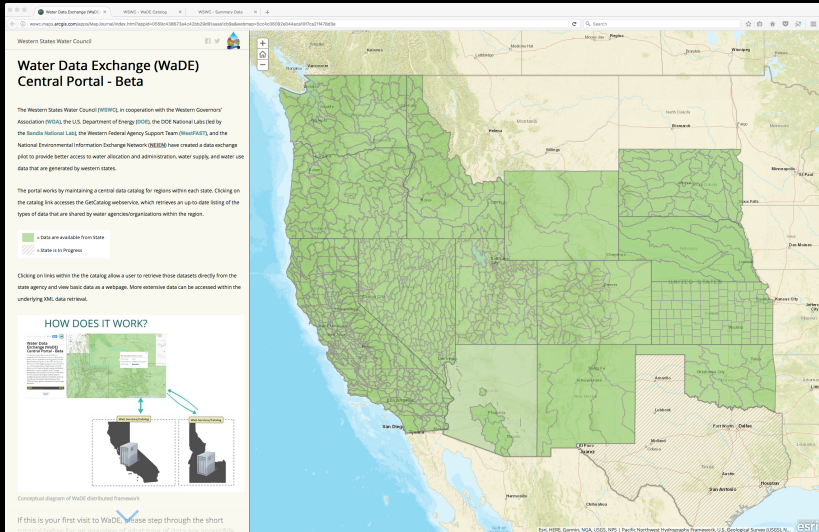
# WY2010 Water Use Hydrologic Region Summary

Water Data Exchange Network (Draft) CA Department of Water Resources

HRNAME	CategoryA	Environmental KAcctFl sum	CategoryB		Use KAcctFl sum	All KAcctFl sum
			Supply KAcctFl sum	Use KAcctFl sum		
Central Coast	Agriculture	0.0	824.1	-839.9	-1.280e+01	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	25.3	0.0	0.0	2.520e+01	
	ManageWetlands	0.0	0.4	-0.4	0.000e+00	
	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Urban	0.0	266.6	-266.6	1.105e+01	
Colorado River	WildScenicRiver	123.7	0.0	0.0	1.237e+02	
	Agriculture	0.0	3489.2	-3489.9	1.830e+01	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	ManageWetlands	0.0	30.3	-30.3	0.000e+00	
	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
North Coast	Urban	0.0	605.6	-623.9	-1.830e+01	
	WildScenicRiver	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Agriculture	0.0	807.2	-820.0	-1.280e+01	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	1800.6	0.0	0.0	1.801e+03	
	ManageWetlands	0.0	217.1	-224.8	-7.700e+00	
North Lahontan	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Urban	0.0	179.4	-188.9	2.000e+01	
	WildScenicRiver	17274.1	0.0	0.0	1.727e+04	
	Agriculture	0.0	520.9	-523.5	-2.600e+00	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	67.1	0.0	0.0	6.710e+01	
Sacramento River	ManageWetlands	0.0	29.9	-26.9	-1.963e+00	
	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Urban	0.0	46.8	-44.2	2.000e+00	
	WildScenicRiver	287.3	0.0	0.0	2.873e+02	
	Agriculture	0.0	7902.4	-7910.3	-7.900e+00	
San Francisco Bay	Urban	4117.0	0.0	0.0	4.117e+03	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	0.0	581.8	-578.8	3.000e+00	
	ManageWetlands	5324.4	0.0	0.0	5.323e+03	
	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	1013.3	-1008.2	5.100e+00	
	WildScenicRiver	3121.1	0.0	0.0	3.121e+03	
San Joaquin River	Agriculture	0.0	86.5	-97.9	-9.400e+00	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	17.4	0.0	0.0	1.740e+01	
	ManageWetlands	0.0	0.9	-4.1	-3.200e+00	
	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Urban	0.0	1106.1	-1142.5	1.200e+01	
South Coast	WildScenicRiver	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Agriculture	0.0	7036.5	-7088.7	-5.220e+01	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	644.3	0.0	0.0	6.443e+02	
	ManageWetlands	0.0	497.4	-607.5	-1.000e+01	
	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
South Lahontan	Urban	0.0	742.5	-690.3	5.220e+01	
	WildScenicRiver	2090.1	0.0	0.0	2.090e+03	
	Agriculture	0.0	644.3	-644.6	-3.000e+01	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	1.8	0.0	0.0	5.800e+00	
	ManageWetlands	0.0	32.3	-32.3	0.000e+00	
Tulare Lake	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Urban	0.0	3562.5	-3540.9	4.100e+01	
	WildScenicRiver	104.4	0.0	0.0	1.044e+02	
	Agriculture	0.0	370.5	-384.4	-1.430e+01	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	77.7	0.0	0.0	7.770e+01	
	ManageWetlands	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Urban	0.0	294.6	-280.3	1.430e+01	
	WildScenicRiver	43.5	0.0	0.0	4.300e+01	
	Agriculture	0.0	10574.4	-10660.8	-8.600e+01	
	InstreamFlowRequirements	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	ManageWetlands	0.0	77.7	-77.6	1.000e+01	
	RequireDeltaOutflow	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000e+00	
	Urban	0.0	754.3	-697.6	8.670e+01	
	WildScenicRiver	2018.7	0.0	0.0	2.017e+03	
All		37139.5	42375.5	-42334.6	3.718e+04	

Table 2: 2010 water year data by Hydrologic Region.

# WaDE Interoperability: Western States Regionalization



# WaDE Interoperability: Select DAU

Water Data Exchange (WaDE) - Central Portal - Beta

The Western States Water Council (WSWC), in cooperation with the Western Governors' Association (WGA), the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), the DOE National Labs (led by the Sandia National Labs), the Western Federal Agency Support Team (WFAST), and the National Environmental Information Exchange Network (NEIN) have created a data exchange pilot to provide better access to water allocation and administration, water supply, and water use data that are generated by western states.

The portal works by maintaining a central data catalog for regions within each state. Clicking on the catalog link accesses the GetCatalog webservice, which retrieves an up-to-date listing of the types of data that are shared by water agencies/organizations within the region.

Legend:  
- Data are available from State  
- State is In Progress

Clicking on links within the catalog allow a user to retrieve those datasets directly from the state agency and view basic data as a webpage. More extensive data can be accessed within the underlying XML data retrieval.

### HOW DOES IT WORK?

Conceptual diagram of WaDE distributed framework

If this is your first visit to WaDE, please step through the short tutorial before for an overview of what types of data are accessible

**California Detailed Analysis Unit**

DAU-County Name	Tulare County
DAU-County Code	24304
GetCatalog Link	<a href="#">More info</a>

ESRI | ERI, HERE, Garmin, NOAA USGS, NPS | Pacific Northwest Hydrology Framework, U.S. Geological Survey, BODOLN

# WaDE Interoperability: DAU Detail



Western States Water Council

Water Data Exchange (WaDE) Summary Data

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**\*\*NOTICE\*\*** For all data provided, please review the associated methodology information thoroughly to discover data provenance and quality before using, especially when comparing data between states, organizations or applications.

Organization: California Department of Water Resources

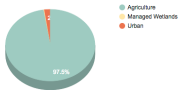
Location Information: DAU24354 - Detailed Analysis Unit and County - DAU24354

This summary is relevant for the reporting year: 2010 - Water

These data were reported on: 2017-05-30

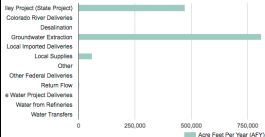
## Water Use Summary

Water Use Categories



Beneficial Use	Consumptive Use?	Fresh/Saline Source	Type	Irrigation Type	Acres Irrigated	Crop Type	Population Served	Power Generated (MWH)	Acres-Foot Per Year (AFY)
Agriculture	1	FRESH	TOTAL		NaN		-999	-999	1,311,300
Managed Wetlands	1	FRESH	TOTAL		NaN		-999	-999	3,300
Required Delta Outflow	1	FRESH	TOTAL		NaN		-999	-999	0
Urban	1	FRESH	TOTAL		NaN		-999	-999	30,600

## Estimated Water Supply Summary

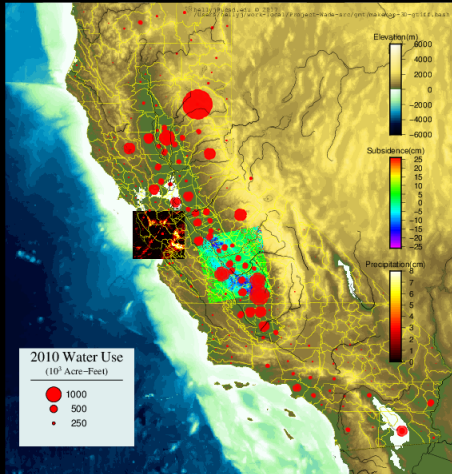


Supply Type	Acres-Foot Per Year (AFY)	GIS Feature	Water Supply Methodology
Central Valley Project (State Project)	471,600	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Colorado River Deliveries	0	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Desalination	0	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Groundwater Extraction	810,400	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Local Imported Deliveries	0	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Local Supplies	60,600	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Other	0	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Other Federal Deliveries	0	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Return Flow	2,800	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
State Water Project Deliveries	0	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Water from Refineries	0	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)
Water Transfers	0	DAU24354	CA DWR Hydrologic Analysis (hellyj@ucsd.edu)

# Multi-Source Data Integration Example

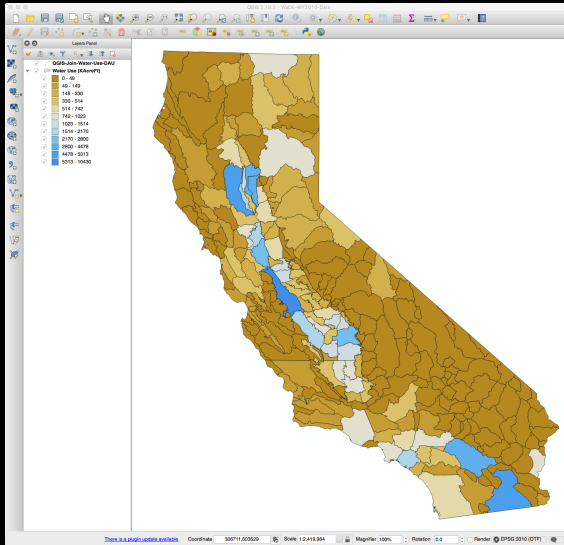
Using An OWIA Approach: Example of scriptable

mapping capabilities



- **Six (6) data sources** converted to OWIA Level 1 integrated in this image.
  1. Smith and Sandwell Global Topography
  2. DAU polygons from CA-DWR,
  3. InSAR data (courtesy of NASA JPL),
  4. CA-DWR water use data for WY2010,
  5. West-WRF modeled atmospheric river quantitative precipitation forecast (small image south of San Francisco Bay)
  6. National Hydrography data (inland water bodies).
- Map produced using GMT5

# Georeferenced WY2010 Water Use GIS Application Example



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1. **Water Balance Automation** is the first case-study of how to apply OWIA concepts and principles
2. WY 2010 completed using this method and verified against Water Plan 2013
3. Interoperability across systems demonstrated using WaDE
4. Integrated schedule is being used to coordinate activities
5. Training workshop planned for Nov 2017 at SDSC contingent on data availability
6. **OWIA System Requirements Document** being updated after public comment period
7. Moving ahead with **OWIA Implementation Plan** to meet AB1755 schedule